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## Water District Sets Election October 4

## An election for a director to serve in Zone Five on the Parmer County Board is scheduled for October 4 in Lazbuddie at Foster's Fertilizer announced M.C. Osborn, chairman at $9 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. State law decrees that to be eligible conservation district director's election, a person must own agricultural land within the subdivision where the election is in a county all or any part of which is in the district and the voter must be 18 years old. <br> Legal qualifications state that a candidate for the office of candidate for the office of a soil and water conservation district director

Jr. High
Wins Tilt
The Junior High Ponies downed
Melrose, $14-0$ in a game here Saturday. Scoring for Bovina were Hippy
Gomez and Jessie Gomez and Jessie Lumbrer conversion to round out the scoring. The Junior High now has a 2-1
season record. They play at Cooper season record. They play at Cooper

## must own land in the zone he represents, be 18 years of age and b

 represents, be 18 years of age and beactively engaged in farming actively engaged in farming or
ranching. He must also live in a
county all or part of which is in the

Zone five of the district takes in all the land in the Lazbuddi
District (see attached map) District (see attached map).
Current members of the board of
directors of the Parmer County directors of the Parmer County
SWCD are M.C. Osborn of Friona SWCD are M.C. Osborn of Friona, chairman; Raymond Schueler of Rhea, vice-chairman; Phillip Johnson
of Hub, secretary-treasurer: Christian of Farwell, member; and Mike Miller of Lazbuddie, member. The purpose of the Parmer County
SWCD, with headquale SWCD, with headquarters in Friona, is to promote sound soil and water
conservation programs on farm and conservation programs on farm and
ranch lands within the district and to serve as a voice for farmers and
ranchers on conservation matters and ranchers on conservation matters and rights of landowners.
The district board of directors coordinates the conservation efforts
of various local, state and federal agencies and other organizations and has authority to enter into working agreements with these governmental
agencies and private concerns to carry out its purposes. All conservation programs
managed by the district are of a voluntary nature to the landowner or
operator.


BIRTHDAY...Jessica Stowers, who celebrated her fifth birthday is shown with her sister Christen Lea, who was five days old at th time. The young ladies are daughters of Roy Lee and Dorothy Stowers of Bovina.
fourth week of the Bovin
Businesses ' Football Contest.
Spring was one of three contestan
. Spring was one of three contestants contest games for the week. The order of placing was determined by he tie-breaker score. Spring picked Bovina, 20-18 over
Dexter, missing the actual score by only eight points. He received the first place weekly prize of $\$ 7.50$. Second place went to Jeanne
Kerby, who picked Dexter, $18-8$ and Kerby, who picked Dexter, $18-8$, and
was off by eight points on Bovina's score and four on Dexter's, or 12 overall. She w
prize of $\$ 5.00$.
prize of $\$ 5.00$.
Peggy Shepherd was the third contestant to correctly pick ten
games. Her tie-breaker prediction of games. Her tie-breaker prediction of
$26-24$ was 27 points away from the Bovina-Dexter score, leaving her in
third place. Bovina-Dex place.
Eight other contestants correctly
icked nine games, missing by just picked nine games, missing by just
one game being in the running for a cash prize. These were Penny Johnson, Terry Moore, Olga Serna, Sam Morgan, Hattie Burnett, Teresa
Johnson, Rocky Bartlett and Tom Johnson, Rocky Bartlett and Tom
Ware. Ware.
Scoring eights were Tony Englant,
Bind Rick Castaneda of Hereford, Blake Scaff, Corky Brito, Amador Elias, Raymond Rocha, Sr., Mike Read,
Laura Bartlett, Joe Harris, Billy

## MADD Sets

 Meeting On October 3
## "GEE MADD," a program

 sponsored by the Young Home-makers, Springlake-Earth chapter, is makers, Springlake-Earth chapter, is
scheduled on Monday, October 3 scheduled on Monday, October 3
from 5 to 6 p.m. at the Homemaking Cottage at Springlake-Earth High School. The S-E High School is
located two miles east on Highway 70 located two miles east on High
and two miles north of Earth. and two miles north of Earth.
Mrs. Jimmie Steed, presiden the Lubbock chapter of Mothers Against Drunken Drivers, will be speaking on the awareness of
drunken drivers on the road, and drunken drivers on the road, and
legislation status. After the program, legislation status. After the progran
Mrs. Steed will be available to talk to interested individuals. There is no
admission charge. We ask only tha you arrive on time.
Young Homemakers urge any
interested people to attend the interested people to attend the
program. You do not have to be a program. You do not have to be a to attend the program. After the
program, Young Homemaker program, Young Homemaker
members will hold a business Wreck Claims 27-Year-Old
Farwell Woman
injured in a two-vehicle accident Saturday, according
State Police report.
Mrs. Ryburn was transported to Covis High Plains Hospital
following the accident which occurred at the intersection of State
Road 108 (north of Texico) and State Road 108 (north of Texico) and S
Road 77 (Pleasant Hill highway). Road 77 (Pleasant Hill highway). southbound motorcycle on State stop sign where the road intersects with State Road 77, the report said. An eastbound vehicle on State
Road 77 driven by Joseph Martinez, no age or address given, struck Mrs. Ryburn's motorcycle, according to
the report.
Mrs. Ryburn died about midnight Mrs. Ryburn died about midnight
that day. that day.
Patti was a CPA at Farwell and
arke. worked at Jim Berry's office. She did
audit work for several Bovina businesses.
She is survived by her husband She is
Mark.

Don Spring Wins Football Contest

Whitecotton, Lee Marquez, Joe Olvera, Barbara Cockerham, Julia
Moody, Mike Morris, Danny Harris and Sandra Ware
For the second For the second straight week, one of the contest games, Muleshoe vs Idalou, ended in a tie, and was
counted wrong on each contestants entry blank. That left 13 as the best possible score.
In addition to the tie, Spring missed Texas A\&M-Oklahoma State; Arkansas-Mississippi; and Notre Dame-Miami.
Mrs. Kerby missed Dalhar-Friona;
Baylor-Texas Tech and Texas A\&M-Baylor-Texas Tech and Texas A\&M-
Oklahoma State Peggy Shepherd missed HerefordMonterey; Arkansas-Mississippi and Detroit-Minnesota.
After four weeks, Marie Pesch
leads in the contest standings with a score of 38 . Mike Read is next with a score of 37. Six contestants are
grouped at 36: Renee Bartlett, Hattie Burnett, Bobby Cumpton, Mike Rocha, Jr. In addition to weekly cash prizes,
contestants are shooting for a grand prize of $\$ 100$, to be awarded at the close of the 14 -week even


WINNER...Don Spring was the winner of this week's Bovina Blade football contest. Spring also made it a sweep by winning the contest at Friona as well.


STREET WORK...City of Bovina employees are shown doing the pavement seal-coating work. Andy Garza and Arty Kunselman are on the rig. Almost all of the city streets had had their shoulders reshot, and the next move was to go over the middle of the streets. The city expects to do the job and save well over one-half the cost if it contracted the work, says City Manager Wayne Spears.

## Mustangs Will Host Cooper Pirates Friday

Bovina High School Mustangs will
attempt to get back on the winning attempt to get back on the winning
track Friday when they host the track Friday when they host the
Cooper Pirates from South Lubbock. The Pirates may find the Mustangs in a bad mood. "We've got a Mad-on this week.
It's our time to win, and we're going It's our time to win, and we're egoing Coach Larry Helton.
Adding to the frustration connected to this particular game is
the fact that coaching the Pirates is the fact that coaching the Pirates is
none other than former Mustang none other than former Mustang
Coach Paul Topliff, who left following the 1981 season for the Cooper position.
To say that there's "no love lost'"
between the two ching between the two coaching camps is
probably putting it mildly, to say the
least.
Last year, in the two teams' first meeting at Cooper, Bovina claimed a $34-8$ win, after falling behind $8-0$ in
the early going. the early going.
However, the their work cut out for them, since Cooper is bringing a $3-1$ record into
a better season mark than a year ago The Pirates have scored 84 points in four outings, while giving up 45.
Meanwhile, Helton and his sta e hoping to get and "walking wounded" few of thei this week. Lineman back in actio out since the opening game, has been working out this week. Terry Moore who sustained a concussion against Morton, might be available. "W don't want to rush any of our
injured, but it would be nice to injured, but it would be nice to hav
some of them back," Helton said. some of them back,"' Helton said.
Friday's game is the last conference outing, and last 8 p.m game for the season. Starting October 7 , district play will begin, and games
will start at $7: 30 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. for the
Make the
Connection
"We were disappointed with the
score, but we weren't disappointed in score, but we weren't disappointed in
the kids," said Coach Larry Helton regarding Bovina's $22-16$ loss at Dexter, N.M. last Friday.
Morton the previous week, Helton had said that the players needed to "We took a step in that direction-" and we should have won the game," he lamented.
The Mustangs fumbled a handoff in
the last 30 seconds of the game on the last 30 seconds of the game, on
the Dexter two-yard line, when the team could have tied the game and
"That was tough--we weren't hit or
anything-we just fumbled," Helton
anything-we just fumbled, 'Helton
said.
The Mustangs played the game
without eight players--six of which had been starters at one time this had b
year.
"W
way our young players played. They moved in and did a great job-they had to get on-the-job training,'
Helton said. He mentioned in particular Blake Scaff, Chet
Hawkins, Matlock Howell, Elizar Lara, Mario Lara and Toby Dutton. In order to punch up the team's
running game, Helton had moved running game, Helton had moved
junior varsity quarterback Blake junior varsity quarterback Blake
Scaff into the signal-calling role, in
order to let Richard Shepherd take a turn as a running back. Both Scaf and Shepherd saw action at the
quarterback slot.
Dexter scored first, but missed
their extra point, Dheir extra point, to take a $6-0$ lead But the New Mexico team later scored a safety, for an $8-0$ count. The Mustangs tallied when Henderson Griggs made a super catch
of a pass from Shepherd, then of a pass from Shepherd, the
literally ran over a couple o literally ran over a couple
defenders to get into the end zone. Raymond Rocha, Jr. scored a two point PAT, to tie the score at eight all. Bovina scored twice in the second Bovina scored twice in the second
quarter. Their second TD came on a onzales. Danny Silva ran for two

## Court Fails To Act

 On Chief's Requestpoints, and
halftime lead.
But Dexter scored individua touchdowns in the third and fourth quarters, and Bovina came up empty on their major threat of the second half.
"Dexter was well-coached. They ida a good job of taking advantage Martin Contreras was credited w an outstanding game Mustangs. Contreras has stood out in ach of Bovina's games this season the week, as the team's game film did
department personnel were off duty handling of calls for the Friona Fire epartment, he ambulance servic or doctors' pagers during these hous imbursement from Friona to county for these added services. Sheriff Bill Morgan stated that with the personnel, equipment and
budget the Friona Police Department budget the Friona Police Department
has, it should be able to furnish 24 has, it should be able to furnish 24-
hour coverage for the City of Friona, for both patrol work and dispatchers, (Continued On Page 2)

## Scooter's Scoops

By Scooter Russell



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BOVINA WINNER....C.E. Trimble's steed, Mrs. Trimble, along with other family members "Parmer County Kid," was winner of the and friends, are shown in the winner's circle. The Ruidoso Downs purse at the New Mexico State local horse won the $\$ 7,800$ purse.


20 YEARS AGO--SEPT. 25,1963 Bovina Mustang Band is back in
action this yearand maijertese of the
band are elaine Fuller Suzane
Thornton, Connie Vaushand

Laura Jacobs
Mother Dies
In Ruidoso


Holcombs Are Parents Of Baby Boy
Mr. and Mrs. Steve Holcomb of
Clovis are parents of a baby boy,
Clinton Cole, born September 17 at
4:15 a.m. at the Roosevelt General
Hospitali in Portales. He weighed
eight pounds, one ounce and was
nineteen inches long.
Steve and Deniese Holcomb have
another son, Christopher, age three.
Grandparents are Virginia Lambert
of Clovis and Mr. and Mrs. Lester
Holcomb of Clovis.
Great-grandparents are Mr. and
Mrs. Bill Lambert of Muleshoe, Alice
Wiliams of House, New Mexico and
Gertie Holcomb of Roswell, New

Crows
 Gromowsky.
Bovina Junior cheerleaders were Bovina Junior cheerleaders wer
named and a Junior High Pep Club named and a Junior High Pep Club
organized last week in the Bovina
Schools, according to Richard Debra Sorley, graders, Nancy Hutto, Darla Hawkins and Terri Willard, seventh
graders, are the cheerleaders. Mis graders, are the cheerleaders. Miss
Sorley was named head cheerleader Buddy Clements, freshman FF chapter member, received a 2 most magazines in a projec sponsored by "Progressive Farmer."
He also won two wekly prizes knife and a wallet Buddy is the so knife and a wallet. Buddy is the sats.
of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Clements.

10 YEARS AGO--SEPT. 18, 1973 ehiester A. Norton, 80, a long-time Monday at a rest home in Granhury where he had resided for about the past year. He is survived by his
Lillie, three sons and one daughter. milo harvested by Housto Bartlett. The first load of corn was
also delivered the same day

## 5 YEARS AGO--SEPT. 27, 1978

 of Greg Corbin in a double rinceremony Friday, June 23 at the Fir ceremony Friday, June 23 at the Fin
Baptist Church of Bovina. the FFA Superior Chapter Award fo The Bovina Blade (Publication Number USPS 550-800) Published Wednesdays, Weekly xcept the week after Christmas

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## Contest Standings



## Read, Ray Rocha, Jr. 35--Danny Guerra, R.J. Key Johnny Martinez, Jean Morgan

 Johnny Martinez, Jean Morga Mike Morris, Blake Scaff, Jan SDon Spring, Burry Thatcher. Don Spring, Burry Thatcher.
34--Angie Gomez, Penny Johnson, Brad Lance, Julia Moody, Billy
Whitecotton. 33--Dickie Clayton, Doy
Joe Olvera, Tom Ware.
$32-$ Rocky Bartlett, Ricky
CastanedaCastaneda, Joe Harris, Erith
Hawkins, Frances Johnson, Teresa
Johnson, Rhonda Keys, DickJownson, Rhonda Keys,
Johngan, Sam Morgan,Morgan, Sam Morgan, Lo
Richards, Leon Schilling, A.JShepherd, Reon Schilling, A.J. Shepherd, PatsyWiseman.
Gonzalaus, Dorothy Harris, Kim
Rundell, Martha SchillingRundell, Martha Schilling, Olga
Serna, Billy Shepherd, DeanSerna, Billy Shepherd, Dea
Stanberry, Wayne Thatcher, SandraWare, Todd WareMary Jane Wilson.

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& \text { 30--Laura Bartlett, Jo Blackwell, } \\
& \text { Corky Brito, Tommy DeLeon, }
\end{aligned}
$$Danny Harris, Daniel Hernande $z$,

Doug Johnson, Owen Johnston,Doug Johnson, O wen John
Steve Lance, Janie Sudderth.
28--Isaac Briones, Chad Clayton,Barbara Cockerham, Susan Kerby,
Celesto Olvera, Todd Schilling,
Robbie Stowers.Robbie Stowers.
27--Wendy Jones, Joyce Read,27--Wendy Jones, Joyce Read,
Michael Shepherd, Effie MaeShepherd, Jay Sherrill, Gle
Sudderth, Paula Whitecotton.26--Wes Cockerham, Al Kerby
., Ellice Martinez.25.-Patrick Baca, JimmiCockerham, Terry Glasscock, IrmaMiller, Raymond Rocha, Sr.Valerie Shepherd, Michelle
Stanberry23--Patsy Lance, Rudy Ortiz, PatRead, Scott Scaff, Scott Sudderth.
22--Romiro Gomez, Matt Howell,

New Baby Is Added By Villarreals

Eddie and Dalia Villarreal are
parents of their first born, Sarah Michelle. She was born September 2
at 4:12 p.m. at the Clovis High Plain Hospital. $\begin{aligned} & \text { at the Clovis High Plains } \\ & \text { She weighed seven pounds, one and }\end{aligned}$ She weighed seven pounds, one and
one-half ounces and was nineteen inches long.
Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs.
Zeferino Villarreal of Bovina and Mr. and Mrs. Dionicio Bermea of Lariat. Great-grandparents are Mr. and
Mrs. Manuel Bermea of Weslaco, Mrs. Manuel Bermea of Weslaco,
Mrs. Concepcion Romero of Donna, Mrs. Concepcion Romero of Donna,
Mr. and Mrs. Eusebio Rodriguez of Edinburg, and Mrs. Rosela Villarrea

Court Fails...


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& \text { Danny Harris, Daniel Hernandez, }
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5. Tabulations of individual entrants will be kept all season and at the end of the season Grand prize winner
will be named. 6. There is nothing to buy. No requirements other than to bring the entry blank, filled out, to The Blade office by 5 p.m. or postmarked by 5 p.m. Friday. 7. Only one entry blank may be submitted per
individual. If more than one blank is submitted by individual. If more than one blank is submitted by an
individual, all will be dis individual, all will be disqualified.
8. Tabulations will be available f Members of the Blade staff will serve as judges for the contest.
9. Contestants must be 10 years old or older 9. Contestants must be 10 years old or older.
10. Everyone, except employees of this newspaper and
their families, is eligible to enter.

TURN THIS BLANK INTO THE BLADE OFFICE BY 5 P.M. FRIDAY

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## James Craig To Head County Spelling Bee


best understanding of English-not
just a memorizing of spelling, but a just a memorizing of spelling, but a
knowledge of the structure of words and what they mean," he said. in order to participate in the Bee students must not have passed beyond the eighth grade at the time of
their school finals and must not reach their school finals and must not reach
their 16 th birthday on or before May their 16th birthday on or before May
27, 1984 (date of the national finals). The 36th Regional Bee will be held on April 28 in the Mary Moody Northen Hall on the WTSU campus in Canyon. Previo
held in Amarillo.
All county directors are to report the names of their champions to the Amarillo Globe-News by April 7. The 1984 district winner will go to Washington, D.C. in late May for the
57 th national co 57th national competition. In 1983
there were 137 finalists from across the country and already the national sponsors, the Scripps-Howard Newspapers, are predicting about 150 area contenders. Most schools in the program use
the booklet, "Words of the Champions,", and copies are Champions," and copies are
available from the Amarillo Globe-

News for 40 cents each. Address your order to Spelling Bee Editor, Amarillo Globe-News, Box 2091,
Amarillo, Texas 79166. The 1984 Amarillo, Texas 79166. The 1984
booklet contains more than 500 booklet
changes.
A Juns A Junior bee for the younger students, grades six and under, will also be conducted in each county. The county junior champions will be special guests of the sponsors in
April. April.
Jeane Bartlett is spelling bee editor for the Amarillo Globe-News. Write Your Congressmen

## Here are the addresses of your

## elected officials:

Congressman Kent Hance, House of Representatives, Washington D.C. 20515 .
Senator John Tower, 142 Russel Senator John Tower, 142 Russel
Office Bldg., Washington, D.C ${ }^{20510 .}$ Senator Lloyd Bentsen, Senate Bldg., Washington, D.C. 20510 .

## Hospital

## Report

## ADMISSIO

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Martin, Texico; Anselma Honesto, Morton; Pearl Everett, Tucson Arizona; Thelma Coffey, Friona; Burgundy Armstrong, Friona; and Raymond Medina, Hereford. DISMISSALS--
Rebecca Weis, Miguel Perez, Frances Celaya and baby girl, Steven Riddle, Mike Martin, Rhonda Bentley and baby girl, Clarence Johnson, Nora O'Brian, Eva Martina Coffey, Marcelino Mitchell and Anselma Honesto. PATIENTS IN HOSPITALHylton Williams, Claude Ware Hylton Moore, Burgundy
Armstrong, Joni Coleman and baby girl, Raymond Medina, Arlin Hartzog, George Kellum and Pear


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